



Subject: Grade 8 English: Home Language

Topic: Direct and indirect speech

Total: 28 Marks

1. true 2 marks

Explanation:

Eg. "walk" becomes "walked", "will" becomes "would", "can" becomes "could"

2. Direct Speech 3 marks

Explanation:

The sentence shows Angela's direct words, therefore it is direct speech.

3. true 2 marks

Explanation:

The words inside the inverted commas are the direct speech of the speaker.

4. false 2 marks

Explanation:

Direct speech is indicated through the use of inverted commas or quotation marks.

5. Indirect Speech | Reported Speech | Indirect | Reported 3 marks

Explanation:

This sentence reports on what Brian said, therefore it is reported or indirect speech.

6. true 2 marks

Explanation:

Eg. "Can I go outside?" asked Chip.

Chip asked whether he could have gone outside. /Chip asked if he could have gone outside.

7. B: ? 4 marks

Explanation:

Mark is asking a question, therefore we need to use a question mark.

8. Indirect Speech | Reported Speech 3 marks

Explanation:

The sentence is in indirect (reported) speech, as it reports on what Kanye West said.

9. A: "

4 marks

Explanation:

We use inverted commas (quotation marks) to indicate direct speech.

10. Direct Speech | Direct

3 marks

Explanation:

It is Jack's direct speech, as he is shouting.

Total: 28 Marks